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CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

Services for Next Sunday in Several Perrysburg Churches.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH.

Rev. Daniel Carter, D. D., Pastor. Services Sunday, June 18, 1915: Sunday School, 9:00 a. m. Public Worship 10:30 a. m. Epworth League 6:30 a. m. Children's Day Anniversary 7:30 p. m. Subject of pastor's sermon in the morning, "Myself—Thyself." A fine program is in preparation for the Children's Day services in the evening, which everyone who can be present will greatly enjoy. Come prepared to make some offering to the fund for which Children's Day is observed. The pastor will give his second sermon of the Young Men Series on Sunday evening, June 25th.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

Services for Sunday, June 18: Children's Day at 10:30 a. m. The happiest day of all the year. Everybody should be present. Senior Endeavor at 6:30 p. m. Topic, "The Usefulness of Good Cheer." John 16:24-33. Leader, Miss Mildred Witzler. Prayer and Praise service Thursday evening at 7:30. The Presbytery of Maumee met at the church on Monday. All visitors expressed delight with Perrysburg and appreciation for the dinner served by the ladies.

EVANGELICAL CHURCH.

Sunday, June 18, 9:00 o'clock, Bible School and Children's Day service. The following is the program, to which everybody is invited: Recit., If You Have a Message—Edmund Spreng. Song—All the World's a Storehouse—Children. Recit., Some Don'ts—Norma Harper. Recit., What Kind of a Soldier are You?—Harold Twining. Solo, I Want to be Friends With Jesus—Georgia Ford. Recit., Give a Little Sunshine—Three Girls. Solo, Roses, Blooming Roses—Martha Fahrner. Recit., Counting—Grace Spreng. Song, Angry Words—Four Girls. Recit., What Little Ones Can Do—Ralph Vandersall. Solo, Only a Bird—Carene Vandersall. Recit., Little Pilgrims—Martha Fahrner. Rose Drill and Song—Buds of Promise Class. Recit., The Bravest Battle—Raymond Fahrner. Recit., Little Bits—Janetta Hufford. Recit., Missionary Work—Mildred Hennen.

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DISAPPOINTED AGAIN

No Game Last Sunday on Account of Wet Grounds.

The heavy rain of last week put the ball grounds in such bad shape that it was impossible to play Sunday.

Next Sunday the strong Post Office team will be here to battle with the locals. This team is known by the Perrysburg fans, and a good crowd should turn out to witness the game.

The Perrysburg Juniors lost to the Spencer Juniors at Toledo Sunday 7 to 6.

Errors by Baldy Fuller, Brokaw and Chas. Merriott let the Spencers win in the ninth by scoring three runs.

FOUR CANDIDATES.

Four names have been filed in the 13th district for Republican nomination for Congressman:

F. P. Riegle, Bowling Green.
Judge Alex Kiskadden, Tiffin.
T. J. Latham, Monroeville.
Carl Stubig, Sandusky.

Congressman Overmyer has no opposition for the Democratic nomination.

TOWNSHIP TEACHERS.

The following teachers have been elected for the Township schools: Dist No.

4 Carrie Burdo.
5 Alta Zingg.
6 Mathilda Christen.
7 Ruby Cranker.
8 Lucie Borck.
9 Fay Wagoner.
10 Ila Ward.
11 May Wittman.
12 Mina Tyson.
13 Lulu Bayer.
14 Ila Simmons.
15 Myrtle Frantz.
16 Louise Ault.

S. T. PHILLIPS,
Clerk Bd. Ed.

WAR PICTURES SUNDAY

The Mutual Film Corporation of Detroit will put on a 5 reel War picture entitled "Fighting for France," at the Auditorium Sunday afternoon and evening. This picture was taken by permission of the French government for uses in the United States. Admission 10c. Children 5c at afternoon show only.

Greatly Benefited by Chamberlain's Liniment.

"I have used Chamberlain's Liniment for sprains, bruises and rheumatic pains, and the great benefit I have received justifies my recommending it in the highest terms," writes Mrs. Florence Slife, Wabash, Ind. If you are troubled with rheumatic pains you will certainly be pleased with the prompt relief which Chamberlain's Liniment affords. For sale by all dealers.

LOOKING BACKWARD

Pleasant Recollections Recalled by a Certificate of Membership.

While searching for treasures in the "archives" of the Journal office, an old "Certificate of Membership" in the Perrysburg Fire department, bearing the name of John Lally, was discovered. John commenced his instructions in the "Art Preservative" in the Journal office many years ago, and is now superintendent of a big publishing company in Somerset, Ohio. The certificate was sent as a reminder of other days, and the following letter is his acknowledgment of its reception:

Somerset, O., June 7, 1916.

Dear Ed:—The certificate of membership in the Perrysburg Fire department which you sent me reached me this morning. How vividly it recalled to mind the incidents of the days—and nights—when the boys used to congregate in the old engine house on Front street. I can see them yet, and can name almost every one of the original members of that company, although nearly a quarter of a century has rolled by, as I note by the date of the card that the organization took place in December, 1891. Several of the members have crossed the great divide; others have left the old burg for new fields of labor, but still many may be found around the old haunts. Those were the happy days—when the old fire company was in its flower. What meetings! What blowouts—particularly the latter—used to be held in the old room, and if memory serves me right, fire wasn't the only thing fought about the place.

The certificate furnishes us with the date of organization, but it says nothing about the ending of the career of the famous—or should I say notorious—company of fire fighters.

The house which harbored the company on Front street has vanished, and the members have been scattered in many directions, but it is safe to say there is not one of them living who does not occasionally recall, with at least a smile, some amusing incident which transpired there, as the hours were whiled away in congenial recreation.

In an old scrap book I unearthed the enclosed clipping which appeared in the Journal, and which records the sounding of "taps" for the old company:

No more the gay and festive firemen congregate at the old engine room for the purpose of exchanging ideas regarding the best methods to be pursued in subduing the fiery element. No more will the stentorian tones of Fireman Scott's voice be heard at a special meeting in his customary speech—"Gentlemen, the motion before the house is, will we have a spread; all those in favor of expending \$2.20 for a banquet will say 'aye.' The vote is unanimous, and we will proceed to banquet." All these things have changed, and with the disbanding of the old company there dies also one of the most peculiar benefit associations ever organized. During the health of the members each one was fined for failing to be present at the banquets. Work in the various degrees was conferred at any time when three or more members could run in a stranger as a candidate. These three members would immediately fine all absentees.

Kicking his grandmother off the back porch; stealing his brother's razor-toed shoes; trading his father's razor for a jack-knife; telling the truth after reaching the age of 16 (Continued on Eighth Page.)

Will Sloan's Liniment Relieve Pain?

Try it and see—one application will prove more than a column of claims. James S. Ferguson, Phila., Pa., writes: "I have had wonderful relief since I used Sloan's Liniment on my knees. To think after all these years of pain one application gave me relief. Many thanks for what your remedy has done for me." Don't keep on suffering, apply Sloan's Liniment where your pain is and notice how quick you get relief. Penetrates without rubbing. Buy it at any Drug Store. 25c.—Adv.

SOME EARLY HISTORY

"Perrysburg the Coming City of the Middle West."

By DWIGHT R. CANFIELD

When Joseph Wampler, by order of the U. S. government, came to the foot of the rapids in 1816, for the purpose of surveying the site of a city, this was one vast wilderness.

Coming up from the river's bank, one was immediately plunged into a deep and dense forest; and as the stream was left behind, the wood became more entangled and the swamps more impassable. By day, the hundreds of different song birds vied with each other in the making of the sweetest music; while at night, wild animals of every species roamed in search of prey, and betwixt their weird howlings and the song of the anopheles, the night was made hideous.

But at length the work was completed and the surveyor wended his way back to Ft. Washington. As laid out, the new city was divided into lots 66 by 165 feet. Broad avenues and wide streets separated the large blocks that were to contain the public as well as private buildings of this new City of the West.

Even after the plat of the town had been made, a number of years intervened before any real moves were made towards its settlement. Orleans contained all of the business places, the taverns and school. Lake vessels went past and docked at the latter city. Maumee was then in its infancy, but quite a town, while the post office was there as well as the county seat of Wood county.

Thomas R. McKnight is credited with having erected the first residence in Perrysburg, which was on lot No. 144. It was a log house. As has been noted in a former article, the county seat was removed from Maumee to Perrysburg in 1823. About the same time the old Exchange Hotel was built by Samuel Spafford. After a number of lots had been sold in Perrysburg, which moneys was used for public purposes, the first court house and jail were built. The old court house stood on the lot at present owned by Fred Hillbrand on Front street, while the log jail was directly behind it. The Hollisters, John and Frank, lived in the woods near the river just below the present site of the Monument Park. With the removal of the county seat here, Orleans was soon depopulated and Perrysburg really began its present history. Stores and residences were built. Town lots sold rapidly. Trade began to flourish. Emigrants were continually arriving, and things began to look like a city. Spafford's Exchange was the finest hotel in the middle west. Could it but tell its story! Men of national repute have put up there. Harrison was there in 1840. The great actors, Edwin Booth and others, have eaten at its festal board, and of all the places of interest yet extant in this city, the Old Exchange is perhaps the most prominent.

Among the early pioneers who moved to our town during the twenties and thirties might be mentioned: John Webb, who settled here in 1822. Also during the next few years, came the Hol-

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MAIMED FOR LIFE

Eight-Year-Old Boy Crushed Beneath Wheels of Car.

On Sunday afternoon last the 8-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Halbert of Roachton, was the unfortunate victim of an accident that will maim him for life.

With his father he drove to Maumee to meet a relative who was expected to arrive on the B. G. electric line.

The little fellow walked from the auto to the waiting room and started to return to his father and did not see a car that was pulling up to the station, and was struck by the car and knocked under the wheels. His left leg was crushed.

He was immediately brought to the Rheinfrank hospital and the limb amputated below the knee.

The little fellow displayed remarkable nerve. He remained conscious and never shed a tear during all his suffering.

He is doing nicely and will soon be able to return to his home.

CLOSE YEAR'S WORK.

The New Century Club closed their year's work with a picnic at Walbridge Park, Wednesday, June 14, to which all former members were invited.

A welcome address was given by Mrs. M. B. Cook, and a response by Mrs. Wm. Mills. Mrs. John Funk was toastmistress of the occasion. Several very pleasing toasts were offered in response to the call of the toastmistress. There were about 60 present.

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Prof. Ault Rehired.

Prof. F. J. Ault has been rehired as district superintendent of District No. 1 by a unanimous vote of the district school board. His contract is for three years at a salary of \$1800 per yer. His work during the past has proven his efficiency.

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WILL BUILD NEW CHURCH

Lutheran Congregation Will Erect Edifice to Cost \$20,000.

The members of Zoar Lutheran church of Perrysburg have decided to erect a new church building which will cost approximately \$20,000.

Plans are now being considered by the church officials and it is expected work will commence soon.

The new building will be located on the site of the present church, and will be a credit to the congregation which has grown too large for the present building.

COUNTY CANDIDATES

Candidates of Parties for Wood County Offices.

Thursday was the last day for the filing of declarations of candidacy and half a dozen additional men took advantage of the day to file their names with the election board. The list of county candidates now stands as follows:

Republicans.

E. P. Riegle, Member of Congress.

Charles S. Hatfield, State Central Committeeman.

J. H. Wollam, C. O. Cummings, Chas. T. Eggleston, John H. Hanna, T. H. Timney, Commissioners.

Milo M. Lybarger, John B. Shoecraft, Elbert B. Avery, Charles S. Davidson, Sheriff.

W. W. Long, Representative.

W. H. McMillan, Abel Comstock, B. O. Bistline, Chas. R. Nearing, Probate Judge.

Charles R. Patterson, Treasurer.

R. S. Gillespie, Auditor.

Earl K. Solether, Prosecuting Attorney.

George B. Fulton, Clerk of Courts.

John F. Gallier, Surveyor.

Dan B. Spiller, Coroner.

B. B. Herriff, Recorder.

Democrats.

Gus Skibbie, Sheriff.

F. W. Thomas, Senator.

H. C. Cordrey, William Dunipace, Probate Judge.

Bertram W. McEwen, Cyrus R. Knauss, Recorder.

E. C. Kunkler, Albert Ayers, Commissioners.

Floyd W. Heald, Representative.

J. F. Wollam, Coroner.

M. D. Merrick, Prosecuting Attorney.

L. H. Wismar, Surveyor.

O. A. Adams, Auditor.

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